



**US Army Corps
of Engineers
Fort Worth District**

News Release

Release No. CESWF-PA-00-28 Contact: Ron Ruffennach

For Release: Immediate 19 May 00 Phone: (817) 978-2196

Corps of Engineers to consider alcohol restriction in Overlook Park at Canyon Lake

The Fort Worth District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, is considering the implementation of an alcohol restriction for Overlook Park at Canyon Lake.

Overlook Park, as its name implies, is a scenic overlook area located at the south end of Canyon Dam adjacent to the Corps' Canyon Lake office. Recreational use of this small but popular overlook area has greatly increased over the past few years with walkers, day users, swimmers, and sightseers. Overlook Park is not designated for camping or picnicking and the access road to the park is closed at night.

At this time, the Corps is providing the public an opportunity to comment on the proposed alcohol restriction at Overlook Park and provide suggestions about the operation and management of the park.

Written comments on this proposal will be accepted through Tuesday, May 30, 2000 by sending them directly to Mr. Bradley Campbell, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Canyon Lake Office, 601 COE Rd., Canyon Lake, Texas 78133, or by e-mail at Bradley.Campbell@swf.usace.army.mil. Comments will also be heard at the Corps of Engineers annual Information Exchange Meeting to be held at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 24, 2000, at the Canyon Lake Action Center in Sattler, Texas.

- 30 -

Check out the Fort Worth District Web Site at <http://www.swf.usace.army.mil/links/pao/pao.htm>